

misdemeanors & Threatning words, he did then & there utter vizt as that he the said Renny would burne the house and goods of y^e said Johnson Contrary to his Lo^{pps} peace and his Rule & Dignity. Liber JJ

Evidences
 Thomas Motley }
 Henry Harman }

G Vanswearingen.
 Endorsed Billa Vera.

The Grand Jury in the behalfe of the Right hono^{ble} the Lord Proprietary doth p^rsent Thomas Beson of Ann Arundell County for that he the said Thomas Before in & about the Tenth day of March in y^e 40th yeare of the Dominion of the hono^{ble} Caecilius Anno^q Domini 1671 Did suffer & ord^r Christopher Spry and John Philips servants to Bryan Dayley to passe contrary to his Lo^{pps} peace and an act of Assembly in that case provided. Thomas Beson

The Juro^{rs} for the Right hono^{ble} the Lord Proprietary upon their oathes doe p^rsent that James Lewis of St Michaells hundred in the County of St Maryes planter not having the feare of God before his Eyes but being moved & seduced by the Instigation of the Devill and little weighing the fidelity he oweth to the said Lord Proprietary and the Lawes of this Province little Esteeming nor the Paines in them Conteyned at all fearing the Six & Twentieth day of July last in the One & fortieth yeare of his said Lo^{pps} Dominion and Diverse times both before & since at the house of Thomas Doxey in the hundred & County aforesayd malitiously falsely & of his owne proper Imagination these false Scandalous words & Rumours of the Governo^r & Chancelo^r of this Province and of Colf William Calvert One of his Lo^{pps} Cuncello^{rs} of this Province and one of the Justices of the Provinciall Co^{rt} of this Province did utter (vizt) that the Governo^r Chancelo^r & y^e sd Colf W^m Calvert were all Rouges & that y^e said Colf was a Bastard, all w^{ch} words although they are false he reported as truth and many other Scandalous words he then & there did utter & publish against the peace of his said Lo^{pp} his Rule & Dignity and Contrary to an act of Assembly in that case made & provided p. 510
James Lewis

Vincent Lowe.

Elizabeth Greene }
 Thomas Brimson } witnesses. Endorsed (Billa Vera)
 John Burridge }
 Christopher Spry }

The Grand Juro^{rs} were Dismissed & James Lewis brought into Co^{rt}.

The foregoing Indictm^t Reade to James Lewis who pleaded not guilty and put himself upon the Country, and the Sheriff returning the Juro^{rs} names there appeared Joseph Chew William Dunkerton Thomas Walker Alexander Draper Abell James & Demetrius Cart-